

# Formulasheet Electromagnetics I (5EPA0)

## 1 Analysis

### 1.1 Vector calculus

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} &= \vec{B} \cdot \vec{A}, \\ \vec{A} \cdot (\vec{B} \times \vec{C}) &= \vec{B} \cdot (\vec{C} \times \vec{A}) = \vec{C} \cdot (\vec{A} \times \vec{B}), \\ \vec{A} \times \vec{B} &= -(\vec{B} \times \vec{A}), \\ \vec{A} \times (\vec{B} \times \vec{C}) &= (\vec{A} \cdot \vec{C})\vec{B} - (\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B})\vec{C}.\end{aligned}$$

### 1.2 Vector operators

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \Phi &= \vec{a}_x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \Phi + \vec{a}_y \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \Phi + \vec{a}_z \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \Phi, \\ \nabla \cdot \vec{A} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} A_x + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} A_y + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} A_z, \\ \nabla \times \vec{A} &= \begin{vmatrix} \vec{a}_x & \vec{a}_y & \vec{a}_z \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ A_x & A_y & A_z \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \vec{a}_x \left( \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial z} \right) + \vec{a}_y \left( \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial x} \right) \\ &\quad + \vec{a}_z \left( \frac{\partial A_y}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial A_x}{\partial y} \right), \\ \Delta \Phi &= \nabla^2 \Phi = \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} \right) \Phi.\end{aligned}$$

### 1.3 Vector identities

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla(\Phi + \Psi) &= \nabla \Phi + \nabla \Psi, \\ \nabla \cdot (\vec{A} + \vec{B}) &= \nabla \cdot \vec{A} + \nabla \cdot \vec{B}, \\ \nabla \times (\vec{A} + \vec{B}) &= \nabla \times \vec{A} + \nabla \times \vec{B}, \\ \nabla(\Phi \Psi) &= \Phi \nabla \Psi + \Psi \nabla \Phi, \\ \nabla \cdot (\Phi \vec{A}) &= \Phi \nabla \cdot \vec{A} + \vec{A} \cdot \nabla \Phi, \\ \nabla \times (\Phi \vec{A}) &= \Phi \nabla \times \vec{A} - \vec{A} \times \nabla \Phi, \\ \nabla(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}) &= (\vec{B} \cdot \nabla) \vec{A} + (\vec{A} \cdot \nabla) \vec{B} \\ &\quad + \vec{B} \times (\nabla \times \vec{A}) + \vec{A} \times (\nabla \times \vec{B}), \\ \nabla \cdot (\vec{A} \times \vec{B}) &= \vec{B} \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{A}) - \vec{A} \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{B}), \\ \nabla \times (\vec{A} \times \vec{B}) &= (\vec{B} \cdot \nabla) \vec{A} - (\vec{A} \cdot \nabla) \vec{B} \\ &\quad - \vec{B} (\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) + \vec{A} (\nabla \cdot \vec{B}), \\ \nabla \times (\nabla \times \vec{A}) &= \nabla(\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) - \nabla^2 \vec{A}, \\ \nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{A}) &= 0, \\ \nabla \times (\nabla \Phi) &= \vec{0}.\end{aligned}$$

## 2 Integral theorems

Divergence/Gauss's theorem:

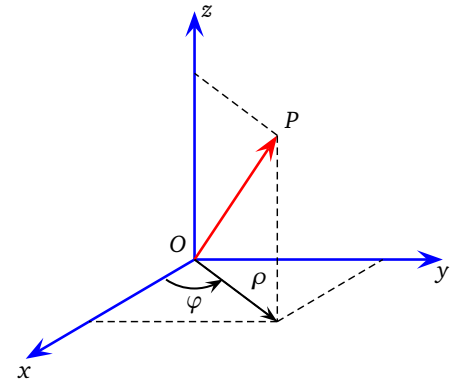
$$\iiint_V \nabla \cdot \vec{A} dV = \oiint_S \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{S},$$

Stokes' Theorem:

$$\oiint_S \nabla \times \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{S} = \oint_C \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{\ell},$$

where  $\vec{A}$  is a vector field.

## 3 Circular cylindrical coordinates



Coordinates:  $x = \rho \cos \varphi$ ,  $y = \rho \sin \varphi$ ,  $z = z$ .

Ranges:  $\rho \geq 0$ ,  $0 \leq \varphi \leq 2\pi$ .

Line elements:  $d\rho$ ,  $\rho d\varphi$ ,  $dz$ .

Unit vectors expressed in cartesian components:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \vec{a}_\rho &= \cos \varphi \vec{a}_x + \sin \varphi \vec{a}_y \\ \vec{a}_\varphi &= -\sin \varphi \vec{a}_x + \cos \varphi \vec{a}_y \end{aligned} \right\} \cos^2 \varphi + \sin^2 \varphi = 1.$$

The other way around:  $\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ ,  $\varphi = \text{atan2}(y, x)$ . (note:  $\text{atan2}(y, x)$  is similar to  $\arctan(y/x)$ , but changed to work on the whole circle)

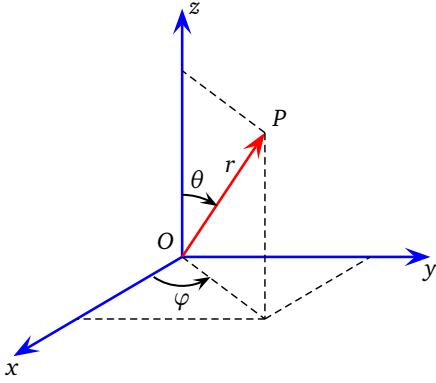
Unit vectors expressed in cylindrical components:

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{a}_x &= \cos \varphi \vec{a}_\rho - \sin \varphi \vec{a}_\varphi \\ \vec{a}_y &= \sin \varphi \vec{a}_\rho + \cos \varphi \vec{a}_\varphi \end{aligned}$$

Vector operators:

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla\Psi &= \vec{a}_\rho \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial\rho} + \vec{a}_\varphi \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial\varphi} + \vec{a}_z \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial z}, \\ \nabla\cdot\vec{A} &= \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial\rho}(\rho A_\rho) + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial A_\varphi}{\partial\varphi} + \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial z}, \\ \nabla\times\vec{A} &= \vec{a}_\rho \left[ \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial\varphi} - \frac{\partial A_\varphi}{\partial z} \right] + \vec{a}_\varphi \left[ \frac{\partial A_\rho}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial A_z}{\partial\rho} \right] \\ &\quad + \vec{a}_z \frac{1}{\rho} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial\rho}(\rho A_\varphi) - \frac{\partial A_\rho}{\partial\varphi} \right], \\ \nabla^2\Psi &= \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial\rho} \left( \rho \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial\rho} \right) + \frac{1}{\rho^2} \frac{\partial^2\Psi}{\partial\varphi^2} + \frac{\partial^2\Psi}{\partial z^2}.\end{aligned}$$

## 4 Spherical coordinates



Coordinates:  $x = r \sin \theta \cos \varphi$ ,  $y = r \sin \theta \sin \varphi$ ,  $z = r \cos \theta$ .

Ranges:  $r \geq 0$ ,  $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ ,  $0 \leq \varphi \leq 2\pi$ .

Line elements:  $dr$ ,  $r d\theta$ ,  $r \sin \theta d\varphi$ .

Unit vectors expressed in cartesian components:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a}_r &= \sin \theta \cos \varphi \vec{a}_x + \sin \theta \sin \varphi \vec{a}_y + \cos \theta \vec{a}_z, \\ \vec{a}_\theta &= \cos \theta \cos \varphi \vec{a}_x + \cos \theta \sin \varphi \vec{a}_y - \sin \theta \vec{a}_z, \\ \vec{a}_\varphi &= -\sin \varphi \vec{a}_x + \cos \varphi \vec{a}_y.\end{aligned}$$

And vice versa:  $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$ ,

$\theta = \arccos\left(\frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}}\right)$ , and  $\varphi = \frac{y}{|y|} \arccos \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{a}_x &= \sin \theta \cos \varphi \vec{a}_r + \cos \theta \cos \varphi \vec{a}_\theta - \sin \varphi \vec{a}_\varphi \\ \vec{a}_y &= \sin \theta \sin \varphi \vec{a}_r + \cos \theta \sin \varphi \vec{a}_\theta + \cos \varphi \vec{a}_\varphi \\ \vec{a}_z &= \cos \theta \vec{a}_r - \sin \theta \vec{a}_\theta\end{aligned}$$

Vector operators:

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla\Psi &= \vec{a}_r \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial r} + \vec{a}_\theta \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial\theta} + \vec{a}_\varphi \frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial\varphi}, \\ \nabla\cdot\vec{A} &= \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r}(r^2 A_r) + \frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}[\sin(\theta) A_\theta] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial A_\varphi}{\partial\varphi}, \\ \nabla\times\vec{A} &= \vec{a}_r \frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta}[\sin(\theta) A_\varphi] - \frac{\partial A_\theta}{\partial\varphi} \right\} \\ &\quad + \vec{a}_\theta \left[ \frac{1}{r \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial\varphi} - \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r}(r A_\varphi) \right] \\ &\quad + \vec{a}_\varphi \frac{1}{r} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial r}(r A_\theta) - \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial\theta} \right], \\ \nabla^2\Psi &= \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r^2 \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin(\theta)} \frac{\partial}{\partial\theta} \left( \sin(\theta) \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial\theta} \right) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin^2(\theta)} \frac{\partial^2\Psi}{\partial\varphi^2}.\end{aligned}$$

## 5 Electrostatics

Coulomb's law:

$$\vec{E} = \frac{Q(\vec{r} - \vec{r}')}{4\pi\epsilon_0|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|^3}, \quad \vec{E} = \iiint_V \frac{\rho_V(\vec{r}')(\vec{r} - \vec{r}')}{4\pi\epsilon_0|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|^3} dV.$$

Gauss's law for  $\vec{D} = \epsilon\vec{E}$ :

$$\oiint_S \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{S} = Q_{\text{encl}}, \quad \oiint_S \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iiint_V \rho_V(\vec{r}') dV.$$

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{D} = \rho_V.$$

Scalar potential:

$$V_{\text{final}} - V_{\text{initial/ref}} = \int_{\text{initial/ref}}^{\text{final}} -\vec{E} \cdot d\vec{\ell}$$

$$\vec{E} = -\nabla V, \quad \oint_C \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned}V &= \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}, & V &= \int_C \frac{\rho_L(\vec{r}')}{4\pi\epsilon_0|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} d\ell, \\ V &= \iint_S \frac{\rho_S(\vec{r}')}{4\pi\epsilon_0|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} d\vec{S}, & V &= \iiint_V \frac{\rho_V(\vec{r}')}{4\pi\epsilon_0|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} dV.\end{aligned}$$

Poisson's equation, Laplace's equation:

$$\nabla^2 V = -\frac{\rho_V}{\epsilon_0}, \quad \nabla^2 V = 0.$$

Capacitance:  $C = \frac{Q}{\Delta V}$  ( $\Delta V$  is voltage difference)

Ohm's law:  $\vec{J} = \sigma \vec{E}$

Energy:

$$W_E = \frac{1}{2} \iiint_V \rho_V V dV, \quad W_E = \frac{1}{2} \iiint_V \vec{D} \cdot \vec{E} dV,$$

$$W_E = Q\Delta V.$$

Boundary conditions:

conductor

$$\vec{n} \times \vec{E} = \vec{0}$$

$$\vec{n} \cdot \vec{D} = \rho_S$$

$\vec{n}$  away from conductor

dielectric

$$\vec{n} \times (\vec{E}_1 - \vec{E}_2) = \vec{0}$$

$$\vec{n} \cdot (\vec{D}_1 - \vec{D}_2) = \rho_S$$

$\vec{n}$  from medium 2 to 1

## 6 Magnetostatics

The Biot-Savart law:

$$\vec{H} = \iiint_V \frac{\vec{J}(\vec{r}') \times (\vec{r} - \vec{r}')}{4\pi|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|^3} dV' = \oint_{\text{1D loop}} \frac{I d\vec{\ell}' \times (\vec{r} - \vec{r}')}{4\pi|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|^3}$$

Ampère's circuital law:

$$\oint_C \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = I_{\text{encl}}, \quad \underbrace{\oint_{C=\partial S} \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \iint_S \vec{J} \cdot d\vec{S}}_{\forall \text{ open } S : \nabla \times \vec{H} = \vec{J}}$$

Gauss's law for  $\vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{H}$ :

$$\oiint_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S} = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0.$$

Vector potential (in vacuum):

$$\vec{B} = \mu_0 \vec{H} = \nabla \times \vec{A}.$$

$$\vec{A} = \iiint_V \frac{\mu_0 \vec{J}(\vec{r}')}{4\pi|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|} dV' = \oint_{\text{1D loop}} \frac{\mu_0 I d\vec{\ell}'}{4\pi|\vec{r} - \vec{r}'|}$$

Poisson's equation, Laplace's equation:

$$\nabla^2 \vec{A} = -\mu_0 \vec{J}, \quad \nabla^2 \vec{A} = 0.$$

Magnetic flux and flux linkage

$$\Phi = \iint_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S}, \quad \Lambda = N\Phi.$$

Inductance and mutual inductance

$$L = \frac{\Lambda}{I}, \quad M_{12} = \frac{\Lambda_{12}}{I_1}$$

Lorentz force on charge:

$$\vec{F} = q(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

Lorentz force for volume, surface and line-current:

$$\vec{F} = \iiint_V \vec{J} \times \vec{B} dV; \vec{F} = \iint_S \vec{J}_s \times \vec{B} dS; \vec{F} = \oint I d\vec{\ell} \times \vec{B}$$

Energy:

$$W_H = \frac{1}{2} \iiint_V \vec{B} \cdot \vec{H} dV.$$

Boundary conditions:

conductor

$$\vec{n} \times \vec{H} = \vec{J}_S$$

$$\vec{n} \cdot \vec{B} = 0$$

$\vec{n}$  away from conductor

magnetic material

$$\vec{n} \times (\vec{H}_1 - \vec{H}_2) = \vec{J}_s$$

$$\vec{n} \cdot (\vec{B}_1 - \vec{B}_2) = 0$$

$\vec{n}$  from medium 2 to 1

## 7 Electromagnetism

Faraday's induction law:

$$\oint_{C=\partial S} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \text{emf} = -\frac{d\Phi}{dt} = -\frac{d}{dt} \iint_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S}$$

Lenz's law: **induced emf** acts to oppose a change of flux

Maxwell's equations, global formulation:

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_{C=\partial S} \vec{E} \cdot d\vec{\ell} &= \underbrace{-\frac{d}{dt} \iint_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S}}_{\text{transformer emf}} - \underbrace{\iint_S \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} \cdot d\vec{S} + \oint_{\partial S} \vec{v} \times \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{\ell}}_{\text{motional emf}} \\ \oint_{C=\partial S} \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{\ell} &= \underbrace{\iint_S \vec{J} \cdot d\vec{S}}_{\text{conduction current}} + \underbrace{\frac{d}{dt} \iint_S \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{S}}_{\text{displacement current}} \\ \oiint_S \vec{D} \cdot d\vec{S} &= \iiint_V \rho_V dV \quad \oiint_S \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Charge conservation: 
$$\oiint_{S=\partial V} \vec{J} \cdot d\vec{S} = -\frac{d}{dt} \iiint_V \rho_V dV$$

Continuity equation: 
$$\nabla \cdot \vec{J} = -\frac{\partial \rho_V}{\partial t}$$

**Maxwell's** equations, local formulation:

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \times \vec{E} &= -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} & \text{causality} & \Rightarrow \nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0 \\ \nabla \times \vec{H} &= \vec{J} + \frac{\partial \vec{D}}{\partial t} & \text{causality} & \Rightarrow \nabla \cdot \vec{D} = \rho_V \end{aligned}$$

Time-harmonic fields: phasor  $\vec{E}_s$

$$\vec{E}(\vec{r}, t) = \text{Re} [\vec{E}_s(\vec{r}) e^{j\omega t}] \Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rightarrow j\omega$$

Helmholtz's equation:

$$\nabla^2 \vec{E}_s + k^2 \vec{E}_s = 0, \quad k^2 = \omega^2 \mu \epsilon \left( 1 - \frac{j\sigma}{\omega \epsilon} \right)$$

A plane-wave solution:  $\vec{E}_s(z) = (A_- e^{jkz} + A_+ e^{-jkz}) \vec{a}_x$

$$\sigma \ll \omega \epsilon \Rightarrow \text{lossy plane waves, } c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\epsilon \mu}}, Z = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}}$$

$$\sigma \gg \omega \epsilon \Rightarrow \text{skin effect, } \delta = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\omega \mu \sigma}}$$

Poynting's theorem (for space-time fields)

$$-\oiint_{S=\partial V} (\vec{E} \times \vec{H}) \cdot d\vec{S} = \iiint_V \vec{E} \cdot \vec{J} dV + \frac{d}{dt} \frac{1}{2} \iiint_V \epsilon \vec{E} \cdot \vec{E} + \mu \vec{H} \cdot \vec{H} dV$$

$\vec{S} = \vec{E} \times \vec{H}$ : Poynting vector (instantaneous power density)

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